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SENATE RESOLUTION 231 By Burks

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Jonathan P. Goodwin for outstanding work as a Senate Page.

WHEREAS, throughout the course of each legislative session, there have emerged certain youth who far exceed the basic requirements of Page set forth for them to follow; and WHEREAS, Jonathan P. Goodwin has distinguished himself as one such individual through his participation as a Page for Senator Charlotte Burks; and

WHEREAS, a highly regarded student at Park View Elementary School in Cookeville,
Tennessee, where Jonathan just completed fourth grade in Mrs. Sandra Cook's class; and
WHEREAS, Jonathan won second place in the physical category at the science fair held
at Park View Elementary School in March 2002, and went on to represent Park View with an
exhibit at the 48th Cumberland Plateau Regional Science/Engineering Fair at Tennessee

Technological University on March 23, 2002; and

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WHEREAS, he recently completed the C.E. Mendez Foundation Drug Prevention Education Program, where Jonathan received an Achievement Award for successfully completing the Too Good For Drugs Program; and

WHEREAS, while at Park View Elementary School at the End Of The Year Awards
Program Jonathan was awarded the Certificate of Merit Award in Recognition of Outstanding
Effort in fourth grade and Perfect Attendance for the 2001-2002 school term. Jonathan has
Perfect Attendance for five years of school work in the Putnam County, Tennessee, school
system; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan will be attending fifth grade at Prescott Middle School in Cookeville, Tennessee, in August. He is signed up for Prescott Middle School's Band and will be playing on the Football team this fall with practice beginning on July 22, 2002; and

WHEREAS, he has distinguished himself as a valuable member of the Black Belt Club at Jack Scott United Karate Studio in Cookeville, Tennessee, where Jonathan is a Red Belt. He is now in training for his Black Belt. He has played in various sports activities in Putnam County, Tennessee, including Baseball, Basketball, and Soccer. He has also attained the rank of shark in Swim class at the YMCA; and

WHEREAS, his favorite pastime hobby is swimming, talking to friends, playing Nintendo games, and playing with his miniature horses. His favorite vacation spot is spent on the beach. He is the ten-year-old son of Kimberly L. Young of Cookeville, Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, during the 2002 legislative session, Jonathan has exceeded all standards with regard to the qualities that are expected of a competent Legislative Page. He has been described as cooperative, dependable, polite and a bright young man; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan seems eager to learn about the Tennessee state government, and the responsibilities of everyone in Tennessee state government; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend Jonathan P.

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Goodwin for outstanding service as a Page for State Senator Charlotte Burks and wish him much success in the fifth grade next school year and in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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